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**CENTRAL PIMA REGIONAL PARTNERSHIP COUNCIL
HOME AND FACILITY-BASED VISITATION PROGRAMS
REQUEST FOR GRANT APPLICATION
FTF-RC017-10-0033-00
FACT SHEET**

WHAT IS THE INTENT OF THIS FUNDING OPPORTUNITY?

First Things First Central Pima Regional Partnership Council is releasing a Request for Grant Applications for the implementation of Home and Facility-Based Visitation Programs.

A 2008 needs and assets assessment of the Central Pima region suggests there is a lack of quality family support and education services to assist families in developing the necessary skills to support their children's optimal development and health. Through supportive facility-based and home-based visitation, families will be encouraged to learn about the importance of child development and health, develop parenting skills and have access to resources.

The purpose of this funding opportunity is to develop new facility-based/home-based visitation programs or allow for the expansion of existing evidence-based, facility-based/home-based visitation programs, allowing them to reach target populations they do not currently serve or to expand existing programs.

WHAT IS THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF FUNDING AVAILABLE?

Approximately \$750,000 is available in this Request for Grant Application. Contract renewal will be contingent upon satisfactory contract performance, evaluation and availability of funds.

The anticipated contract period for any resultant grant will be July 1, 2009 - to June 30, 2010.

PROPOSED TIMELINE FOR THE GRANT MAKING PROCESS

March 5, 2009	Notice of Intent/Fact Sheet available to the public
March 5, 2009	RFGA available on-line
March 13, 2009	Pre-application Conference Kino Community Recreation Center at 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. 2805 E. Ajo Way Tucson, Arizona 85713
April 17, 2009	Applications due to the location listed in the RFGA by 2:00 p.m.
July 1, 2009	Anticipated grant awards made

HOW TO GET A COPY OF THE RFGA.

Please visit the First Things First web site on or after March 5, 2009: <http://www.azftf.gov/>

QUESTIONS?

All questions must be submitted in writing and include **FTF-RC017-10-0033-00** in the subject line of the email or on the cover sheet of the fax.

Questions should be submitted to the Grants and Contracts Procurement Specialist via email at grants@azftf.gov or via fax at (602) 265-0009.